

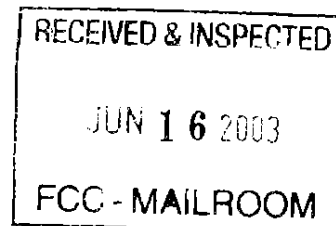
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RE: Elkhart Telephone Company
Study Area Code: 411764, Kansas and Oklahoma
CC Docket No. 96-45

CERTIFICATION

This is to certify that **Elkhart Telephone Company** will use its Interstate Common Line Support and Long Term Support only for the provision, maintenance, and upgrading of facilities and service for which the support is intended.

I am authorized to make this certification on behalf of Elkhart Telephone Company. This certification is provided for the entire study area under the common control of this telephone company.

ELKHART TELEPHONE COMPANY

Trent Boaldin
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President

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Date

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